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SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS FOR THE FIRST GARP GLOBAL
EXPERIMENT (FGGE)

REFERENCE: (A) STATE 047006, (B) BRASILIA 1618

1. NOAA IS CONCERNED THAT THE OPERATION DESCRIBED IN
REF (A) EXCEEDS THE INTENT OF THE STANDARD OVERFLIGHT
AND LANDING PROCEDURES DESCRIBED IN THE USAF FOREIGN
CLEARANCE GUIDE/BRAZIL.
2. A LETTER DATED 10 FEBRUARY 1978 CONCERNING FGGE
OPERATIONS WAS SENT FROM THE DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL
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(R.J. SCHNEIDER) OF THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION
TO MR. G. ALVARES MACIEL, AMBASSADOR, PERMANENT MISSION
OF BRAZIL TO THE UN WITH COPIES TO COLONEL R. VENERANDO
PEREIRA, PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF BRAZIL WITH WMO,
RIO DE JANEIRO AND DR. L.G. MEIRO FILKO, RIO DE JANEIRO.
IT SAID IN PART: QUOTE THE OPERATIONAL PLAN FOR THIS
AIRCRAFT SYSTEM INCLUDES THE BASING OF AT LEAST TWO

AIRCRAFT AT RECIFE, BRAZIL, DURING THE PERIODS FROM APPROXIMATELY 15 JANUARY TO 13 FEBRUARY AND 10 MAY TO 8 JUNE 1979, MAKING DAILY FLIGHTS FROM RECIFE OVER THE SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN BETWEEN THE EQUATOR AND 10 DEGREES SOUTH TO APPROXIMATELY 2 DEGREES WEST AND RETURN. THE

RECENT MEETING (GENEVA), 5-9 DECEMBER 1977, OF THE WMO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON THE FGGE WHICH INCLUDES A REPRESENTATIVE NOMINATED BY YOUR GOVERNMENT, REVIEWED AND CONCURRED ON THE GENERAL PLAN AND RECOMMENDED THAT CORRESPONDENCE BE INITIATED WITH BRAZIL TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING, FOR THESE FGGE AIRCRAFT, THE WAIVER OF ALL FEES AND COSTS NORMALLY ASSESSED ON TRANSIENT AIRCRAFT, ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL. THE PURPOSE OF THIS LETTER IS TO REQUEST YOU, IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS RECOMMENDATION, TO CONVEY THE ABOVE REQUEST TO THE APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES IN BRAZIL.

THE DETAILED ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS DURING FGGE ARE, OF COURSE, TO BE MADE THROUGH DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN BRAZIL AND THE UNITED STATES, AND IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THE U.S.A. WILL BE CONTACTING BRAZIL DIRECTLY REGARDING THIS MATTER. I WOULD, HOWEVER, BE MOST GRATEFUL FOR ANY INITIAL STEPS YOU MIGHT TAKE WITH REGARD TO THIS REQUEST AND ANY OTHER ASSISTANCE YOU

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MIGHT PROVIDE FOR THIS IMPORTANT ASPECT OF THE GLOBAL EXPERIMENT. FOR PURPOSES OF COORDINATION, COPIES OF THIS LETTER ARE BEING SENT TO THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES OF BRAZIL AND OF THE U.S.A. WITH WMO, AS WELL AS TO THE REPRESENTATIVE NOMINATED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF EACH OF THESE COUNTRIES ON THE WMO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE-INTERGOVERNMENTAL PANEL ON THE FGGE. UNQUOTE.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY CONFIRM WITH GOB THAT THE EXTENDED OPERATION OF AIRCRAFT DURING FGGE AT GUARARAPES AIRPORT RECIFE IS WITHIN THE GUIDANCE OF THE USAF FOREIGN CLEARANCE GUIDE, (B) REQUEST THE GOB TO WAIVE ALL FEES, CUSTOMS CHARGES, AND COSTS RELATED TO THE TEMPORARY POSITIONING OF AIRCRAFT, PERSONNEL, AND EQUIPMENT AT RECIFE AND (C) OBTAIN GOB AUTHORITY FOR U.S. REPRESENTATIVES TO CONTACT LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND BUSINESSMEN IN RECIFE DURING AUGUST 1978 TO ASCERTAIN THE KIND AND AMOUNT OF LOCAL SERVICES AND EQUIPMENT THAT CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE TRANSIENT AIRCRAFT AND PERSONNEL. VANCE

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